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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **MAYOR PUGH INVESTIGATION**

(Baltimore, MD, April 25, 2019): This morning federal agents served upon the law firm of Silverman Thompson Slutkin & White, LLC a limited subpoena for original financial records belonging to Mayor Catherine Pugh, which were properly in the firm's possession in the course of its representation of her in the Healthy Holly matter.

The requested documents had previously been sequestered from all other client matters of the firm and were not commingled with any of the firm's other clients' information or documents. The agents were directed to the sequestered area with the Mayor's documents and the firm complied with the subpoena.

There was no "raid" of the firm as reported in the media, and the agents did not conduct a search of the firm. The agents also did not seek or obtain any attorney-client privileged communications with the Mayor, or any other information or documents from the firm or its clients. The agents were polite and courteous, and the process was conducted in an expeditious and professional manner.

We will continue to vigorously defend the Mayor, who is entitled the presumption of innocence.

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